

Key dates

P.E –Thursday afternoon

Swimming – Friday afternoon

Faith day – Thursday 9th November

Enabling enterprise day – 21st November

PE

This term in P.E we will be doing Gymnastics and swimming. Please ensure children have full kit, hair tied back and no jewellery.

RE

In R.E apple class will be learning about the religion Christianity through the Big Question – ‘Why did God give Jesus to the world?’

Enabling Enterprise

We will be carrying on our enabling enterprise project ‘Going Green’.

Maths

Within maths this term we will be learning about:

Multiplication and Division

This term we will be focusing on a range of methods to solve multiplication and division sums. We are also focusing on the 2,5 and 10 times tables.

Statistics

Apple class will interpret data from simple charts, and collecting their own data.

Money

We will be working on how to combine money to make a value. We will also look at problem solving, which includes change.

Fractions

Apple class will be finding, naming and writing fractions of shapes and objects. We will then move on to finding a fraction of a number.

Measurement

We will be estimating and then practically measuring using a range of units.

English

Within English this term we will be covering 3 genres:

· Instructions

· Stories by the same author (Anthony Brown and Roald Dahl)

· Poetry on theme

Within these genres we will be looking at handwriting, spelling patters, expanded noun phrases (using adjective to describe a noun), conjunctions and a range of new language.

Also this year the children will be have a Big Read lesson every Monday and they will have reading Spies Team time daily. Each week your child will read to the teacher in the class. Please make sure their yellow reading record is in school for the teacher to read and sign daily. There will be a focus on developing their comprehension and inference skills this term.

What to do at home

* Please make sure you are reading with your child daily.
* Practice their spellings that are sent home.
* We have a new computing resource called ‘Purple mash’, which contains learning software for children to use. Individual log ins have been sent home.

Computing

This term we will be looking at e-safety and reminding ourselves how to stay safe online. We will also be exploring purple mash further.

Theme

This year our theme our focus is ‘To Infinity and Beyond’. Within this theme we will cover 3 questions:

DT - What meal would be the best meal to take to Tim Peake?

History - What was the bravest thing that Tim Peake did?

Science - How can you keep fit and healthy in space?